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: EXAMINER: SHEEHAN, J. P.

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FOR: A COMPOSITE RARE-EARTH ANISOTROPIC BONDED MAGNET,

COMPOSITE RARE-EARTH ANISOTROPIC BONDED MAGNET COMPOUND,

AND METHODS FOR THEIR PRODUCTION

## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated March 8, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.

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